

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

JOANNA LARUE ELLIS, Deceased
DOD 8/08/2017 by Patricia Ellis-
Swanson; and PATRICIA ELLIS-
SWANSON, Her mother and next of kin
and personal representative of Estate of
Joanna Larue Ellis;

Plaintiffs,

vs.

THE UNITED STATES, and U.S.
DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS
AFFAIRS,

Defendants.

8:19CV501

**MEMORANDUM
AND ORDER**

Plaintiff Patricia Ellis-Swanson, a non-prisoner, filed a Motion for Leave to Proceed in Forma Pauperis. ([Filing No. 2](#).) Upon review of Plaintiff's Motion, the court finds that Plaintiff is financially eligible to proceed in forma pauperis.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that leave to proceed in forma pauperis is granted, and the Complaint shall be filed without payment of fees. Plaintiff is advised that the next step in her case will be for the court to conduct an initial review of her claims to determine whether summary dismissal is appropriate under [28 U.S.C. § 1915\(e\)\(2\)](#). The court will conduct this initial review in its normal course of business.

Dated this 22nd day of November, 2019.

BY THE COURT:

s/ Richard G. Kopf
Senior United States District Judge